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River Boat July 13th

Word comes from Vancouver that the Hudson's Bay people plan to have one of their steamers here for river work, about the thirteenth of next month. This is somewhat later than the Pt. Simpson arrived here last year, but the calculations are evidently that the boat can make as many trips in less time than that occupied last year, as the Simpson last season was tied up at the wharf here a larger part of the time than was really necessary.

The Rev. Mr. Clark and family who have been at Petersburg for a couple of weeks, returned Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Jack Collins and daughter Patience arrived up on the City of Seattle last Thursday.

Frank Callbreath left for his home at Telegraph Creek on the Black Fox, Thursday.

Mrs. W. C. Waters and children left on the Seattle for Stewart, B. C. where she will join her husband.

PROGRAMME! Wrangell, Alaska JULY 4th, 1910

JACK COLLINS, Marshal of the Day

Patriotic Exercises at Redmen's Hall at 10 a. m., Mayor McCormack Presiding

Bugle Call, - George Kluquits
Opening Remarks, Mayor P. C. McCormack
Prayer, Adj. Robert Smith
Patriotic Song By the Children
Recitation - Mrs. J. R. Walton

"Declaration of Independence," J. E. Worden
"Star Spangled Banner," Children with Flags
Assisted by Audience
Oration - Wm. Downing
"America," Audience

List of the Sporting Events of the Day to Begin Immediately after Conclusion of Above Programme
SPORTS COMMITTEE--C. H. Coulter, Harry Gartley, and Andy Lillian

	1st	2nd	3rd			
Boys' race, under 15 yrs	\$ 2.00	1.00	.50	High Jump, open to all	5.00	3.00
Boys' race, under 10 "	1.50	1.00	.50	" boys under 15	2.50	1.50 1.00
Girls' race, " 15 "	2.00	1.00	.50	Broad Jump, open to all	5.00	2.50
Girls' race, " 10 "	1.50	1.00	.50	Log rolling contest	8.00	4.00 2.00
Potatoe race, girls	1.50	1.00	.50	Firemens Hose Race against time	10.00	
" boys under 12	1.50	1.00	.50	Tug of War	20.00	
100 yard dash, open to all	5.00	3.00		BOAT RACES		
Three-legged race, boys under 15	2.00	1.00	.50	Gasoline launches, 25 h. p. and over	\$25.00	15.00
Sack Race, boys under 15	2.00	1.00	.50	" 12 to 24 h. p.	20.00	10.00
Pie Eating Contest, open to all	2.00	1.00	.50	" 10 h. p. and under	15.00	5.00
Pole Vault, open to all	5.00	3.00		Boat race, single, open to all	5.00	3.00
" boys under 15	3.00	2.00		" boys under 15	4.00	2.00
				Indian Canoe race	25.00	15.00

Bulletins of Jeffries-Johnson Fight Posted as Received

"Juck" Klane Pardoned

The pardoning of "Juck" Klane recalls one of the most frightful murders recorded in the history of the district. In 1900 Burt Horton and his wife Florence, who at that time was ill, went from Skagway to a small island below Sullivan's island, just this side of Haines, with the intention of camping out for a time, hoping the outing would benefit Mrs. Horton's health. They were there but a few days when they were attacked by a band of Chilkat natives. Horton was shot to death during the attack. Mrs. Horton was wounded, but did not die, being kept a prisoner for three days. At the end of that time the Indians cut her throat with a razor belonging to Horton which was found in the camp. After the killing the natives took the bodies and buried them in shallow graves. It was known Mrs. Horton had \$1,800 in currency on her person when murdered, but none of it was ever found.

One of the Indians got religion a short time afterwards in a mission at Skagway and confessed his part in the killings. He also gave the officers the names of the other Indians who were with him when the deeds were committed. Those implicated by the native's confession were: Jim Hanson, Kishtoo, Mark Clanat, Dave Clanat, Juck Klane, Jim Williams, John Kesh, Qua-Ni-Ish, Paddy Una-Hooch, Goos, alias George White, Day-Kan-teen, Martha Hanson.

District Attorney Fredericks prosecuted and W. E. Crews, J. W. Jennings and J. J. Paulsell defended John Kesh, Qua-Ni-Ish, Paddy Una-Hooch, Goos, alias George White, Dave Clanat and Martha Hanson were dismissed. Jim Williams was sentenced to fifty years in McNeil's Island, in April, 1902, while he was serving it he was removed to the Fanny Paddock hospital at Tacoma, and died there on May 8. Kitchoo got fifty years in the penitentiary; Mark K. Clanat was sentenced to twenty years and Day-Kan-Teen received thirty years. Jim Hanson was convicted of murder in the first degree and an order to hang him on June 27, 1900, at Sitka was entered. The case was taken to President McKinley and the sentence commuted to life imprisonment.

Time To Dispose Of Skins

The following telegram was received this week from Fish Commissioner Cobb, of Juneau--

The Sentinel.

Wrangell, Alaska.

By order of the Department of Commerce and Labor hunters and dealers having now on hand skins of animals mentioned in Circular 206 will have until January 1, 1911 to dispose of same.

John N. Cobb.

"Chippis" Cole, who has been doing carpenter work at the Santa Ana cannery, came in last Saturday. Mr. Cole is suffering with a sore hand and came to town for medical attention.

Mrs. C. Demmert and family are in town from Shakan, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lewis.

Republican Nominee

At the Republican Convention at Juneau last Tuesday Ed. S. Orr was nominated for Delegate to Congress.

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Reviewing political and industrial matters in Alaska The Seattle Times says.

After months of muddle, President Taft has endeavored to clear the air with respect to legislation for Alaska. It will be remembered that when the Chief Executive was in Seattle during the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, he took the stand that a "commission form of government" was needed.

President Taft now announces that the Administration will not lend its approval to legislation designed to secure Government aid for specific railroad interests; but, instead, he favors a general law, modeled after his policy in the Philippines.

There is repetition in the history of every country, it is said; and certainly the statement contains a great deal of truth so far as it pertains to the procurement of favorable legislation for America's most northern Territory.

The time when the Sixty-first Congress will be in the throes of dissolution is in plain vision, and yet practically nothing has been accomplished. Not a step has been taken except the announcement of the President's policy—which, it is admitted on all sides, serves no useful purpose other than to "clear the air."

In view of experience, it would seem that Alaskans are not particularly wise in their generation; and if the expression be pardonable, neither are they "wise" to the ways of securing legislation at the National Capital.

The history of the Territory since the Alaska delegate bill was enacted four years ago, and the manner in which the three incumbents of the office have conducted their affairs, would make an able treatise on "Securing Favorable Legislation," if written under the heading, "What It Is Best to Avoid."

The delegates seem to have been imbued with the idea that they were elected for the sole purpose of antagonizing the Administration. The matter of securing the enactment of new laws that would tend to develop the country, or to assist the men who are trying to develop it, seems to have been one of minor importance, indeed. The paramount work of the Delegates has been to "damn the government" and every official connected with it.

The first delegate, Frank H. Waskey who doubtless was as brainy as any of the three Delegates Alaska has had, had the misfortune to be of a different political faith from that of the majority of the House and Senate.

That however, would not have been an insuperable bar as the solons at that time were willing and anxious to do something for Alaska if they could only have found out just what the residents of the North most ardently desired. But Waskey made the mistake of giving a newspaper interview in which he referred to the speaker of the House as "Uncle Joe."

Now, whatever kind of a public bluff Cannon may make about being the "plain, honest citizen in homespun" he privately has an exalted opinion of his own dignity and importance.

After the publication of that interview, the word went out in the committee rooms and even in the press galleries that Waskey was "in bad."

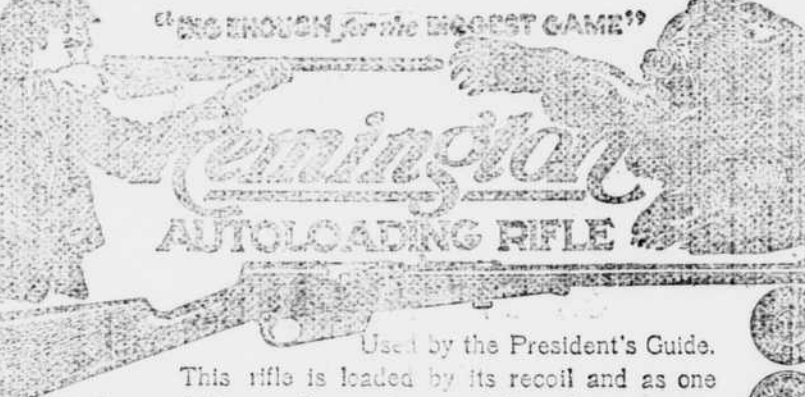
Added to this was the fact that fifteen or twenty Alaskan patriots—each with an axe to grind—constituted themselves a committee of delegates and undertook to tell the solons the fifteen or twenty different things for which Alaska was crying. Each told the chairman of committees and other legislators that his own particular pet scheme was the only salvation of the country and that all the other "delegates," including Waskey, were a bunch of imbeciles, liars, thieves or grafters.

And as no two Alaskans appeared to be of the same opinion on any one subject, it was decided to do nothing until next term.

The next year saw the advent of that brilliant statesman, that hero of the pick and shovel, Thomas Cale. He had about as much diplomacy as a stone crusher. Elected on a mugwump ticket, he overlooked the fact that he had no vote in the House, and therefore nothing to give in the way of political favors and further than that he had no party from which he could ask favors.

About the first thing Cale did was to introduce a territorial bill written for him by Congressman William Sulzer, of New York, who is largely interested in Alaska.


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NOTICE OF ELECTION

In the Commissioner's Court, at Wrangell, District of Alaska, Division No. 1.

In the matter of the Division of Wrangell Recording District No. —, into voting precincts, etc., for the General, 1910, election.

It is hereby ordered that such part of the recording district known as the Wrangell Recording District, No. —, outside of all incorporated towns, is hereby divided into three (3) voting precincts, each of which said precincts contains not less than thirty (30) qualified voters therein, and which said precincts will be and until further ordered, hereafter respectively named and designated as follows:

Point Ellis voting precinct, or Precinct No. 1 of Wrangell recording district is bounded and described as follows: All that part of Wrangell Election District west of Rocky Straits and including the Hazel Islands, and the polling place shall be Point Ellis.

Kake Voting Precinct, or Precinct No. 2 of the Wrangell Recording District is bounded and described as follows: All of Kuperanoff Island as far east as the head of Portage Bay and the head of Duncan Canal, not including tributaries putting in from the west side, and the polling place shall be at Kake.

Scow Bay Voting Precinct, or Precinct No. 3 of the Wrangell Recording District is bounded and described as follows: All of that portion of the Wrangell Recording District outside the incorporated towns of Petersburg and Wrangell, Northeast and Southeast of the eastern line of the Kake Voting Precinct, including the Olympic Mine, Portage Mountain Mine, Duncan Canal Mine and other settlements on the Mainland within said boundary, and the polling place shall be at Scow Bay.

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His next progressive step was to call President Roosevelt a perverter of the truth and a breaker of promises. In this, however, he exercised sufficient discretion to make his remarks to a newspaper man and not within the President's hearing.

The incident effectually ended Cale's usefulness to Alaska as a Delegate for no matter what animus might have existed between Roosevelt and members of the House and Senate, they were not adding trouble to their already heavy burdens.

Thus Cale was ignored completely. The legislators apparently forgot that he existed. Some time later Cale withdrew Sulzer's territorial bill and introduced one prepared by Judge Wickersham, which provided for an appointive senate—in effect, the same as an Alaskan legislative commission. Needless to say, it did not pass and Cale, at the end of his term went back to his wood and coal yard in Fond-du-lac, Wisconsin.

The next election placed Judge Wickersham in the Delegate chair. Alaskans fondly hoped that here was a man with sufficient judgment not to bring himself in conflict with the administration.

A "peace" dinner was held at the New Willard Hotel in Washington, and it was agreed by the Alaskans who attended that the hatchet should be buried and they would work together for the benefit of the country, and everything was lovely—for two or three days.

Wickersham signed a statement agreeing to work for certain laws for Alaska, but a few days later declared that he had been trapped into signing it. Everybody who does not agree with Wickersham is a hireling of the Guggenheims and the mythical predatory corporations which are "sapping the life blood of the young and rich country."

The President had the misfortune to be one of those people who did not view things in the same light as the Alaskan Delegate did. Mr. Taft had ideas of his own about the government of Alaska, and suggested the commission form of government.

This was practically the same thing as was suggested by Wickersham in the Cale bill, but in the meantime the jurist-delegate wanted a territorial form of government.

After his diatribe against the President, Wickersham was refused admission to the White House. In a spirit of reprisal, he next attacked his former friend Secretary of the Interior R. A. Ballinger—declaring him to be a tool of the Guggenheims.

He was willing to sacrifice Ballinger's friendship and influence for the purpose of retaliating on Taft.

Major Wilds P. Richardson had the misfortune to be a friend of Governor Hoggatt and therefore, according to Wickersham a tool of the Guggenheims—so he attacked Richardson, and through him the Secretary of War James M. Dickinson.

With President Taft and Messrs. Dickinson and Ballinger tagged and marked as "agents and tools of the Guggenheims," Wickersham next bumped up against his namesake George W. Wickersham, Attorney-General of the United States.

Refused admission to the White House, the Department of the Interior the Department of War and the Department of Justice, and ignored by Senator Knute Nelson and members of the Upper House who came in conflict with him several years ago, it is apparent that Wickersham's chances of securing for Alaska any legislation of any kind whatsoever are nil. He will remain in office for another session and the odds are that Alaska's legislative history in Washington will be repeated for another year at least.

Looking at matters in the light of past experience, and taking into consideration the fact that a large number of the national legislators are ready and willing to do everything possible to pass legislation beneficial to Alaska, it would appear the part of wisdom to elect a delegate who does not think himself greater than the President of the United States and the Republican administration. Alaska has nothing to gain and everything to lose by its incessant damning of the administration, through its delegate.

A delegate has no vote, nor favors to bestow. All that he can do is to recommend and if he makes his recommendations in a friendly spirit there is some hope that they will be enacted into laws. By a manifestation of hostility he can accomplish nothing, and in the meantime the development of the country is being retarded.

ALASKA MATTERS

Hon. George Irving is to deliver the Fourth of July address at Douglas on July Fourth.

Judge Moore, long complained of at Nome, has been removed and C. D. Murane, a straight Republican named to succeed him.

An acetylene light is to be placed on Barwell Island at the entrance to Resurrection bay.

Rev. L. H. Pederson is raising funds to open a resort for the recreation of young men at Seward.

The Reynolds company of Valdez, one of wild-cat fame, is paying off its debts at the rate of 23 1-3 cents on the dollar.

Al Fagerberg has taken 27 head of cattle to the Nizina country.

The president has announced he will again send the name of H. L. Faulkner as United States marshal to the senate.

Felix Boucher, who killed the first white man in the Iditarod diggings, was released from custody on a plea of self-defense.

A distinct paystreak has been found along Goldstream in the Tanana valley.

The postmaster at Valdez announces the postoffice will remain in its present location. There has been an agitation to have it removed.

Governor Clark will be in Juneau on July fifth.

The Northwestern brought the Cordova delegation to the Republican convention.

The Lofvik hatchery is being placed in good condition.

Judge Lyons will hold court in Juneau next month.

A number of gold mining properties on Kodiak Island are being developed.

Valdez is repairing her sidewalks.

James Fish has taken the contract to carry the mail to Glukana from Valdez.

Eureka creek near Fairbanks will not go dry this summer Jerry Ford having applied for a license.

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Judge Thomas was a business visitor to Juneau on the Seattle.

Dr. S. C. Shurick is attending the Republican convention at Juneau this week.

Mrs. Mary E. Hart, lecturer and guide aboard the Excursion Steamer Spokane, called on her Wrangell friends while the steamer was in port Thursday.

Rev. Father Sweere, of Ketchikan, held services at the Catholic Church here Sunday, and left for home on the Seattle.

K. C. Schmidt and family came over from Klawaek on the Uncle Dan and have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Kincaid while awaiting a boat for the Sound.

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On top of all the talk that has been going the rounds of the press and in shipping circles comes the fresh news from Seattle that the fight in Southeastern Alaska, directed by the old line companies against the Humboldt Steamship company is to be called off.

The Times of June 20th says concerning the possible change:

"The arrival of President J. H. Young, of the Alaska Steamship company, after a tour of Alaska, has revived rumors in shipping circles regarding a prospective settlement of the rate fight on the Southeastern Alaska route against the Humboldt Steamship company. This rate war was started several months ago by the Alaska Steamship company, and the Pacific Coast Steamship company soon after met the cut rates inaugurated by President Charles E. Peabody.

"These rates include both freight and passenger traffic, but with the beginning of the summer travel, the passenger rates were restored by the Alaska and Pacific Coast companies to take advantage of the big tourist travel on that route. The freight rates are still cut on the boats on that run. In the case of the Humboldt there is a wide difference both in freight and passenger rates, necessary because the White Pass & Yukon Railroad refuses to issue through bills of lading or through tickets to the Humboldt company. The freight and passengers on the Humboldt are given better rates than the other companies give, owing to the necessity of re-checking baggage and other small inconveniences resulting from using local tickets or bills of lading.

"The retirement of President Peabody from the Alaska Steamship company immediately led to rumors of a settlement of the fight. The necessity of the new officials becoming acquainted with the situation resulted in the postponement of negotiations, but it is probable that with the return of President Young and the arrival here of General Passenger Agent C. D. Dunn, of the Pacific Coast Steamship company, on the Spokane next week, some sort of conference may result.

"General Freight Agent H. C. Cantelow, of the Pacific Coast company, recently made the round trip to Skagway. His return was followed by a talk with the Humboldt company but it is impossible to learn what, if anything, was done at that time.

"It is stated by Pacific Coast officials that they would welcome a cessation of hostilities, and a restoration of rates. It is believed the Alaska Steamship company feels the same now that the change in officials has been made.

"The rush to the Iditarod is filling all boats both with freight and passengers and the companies realize that they might just as well be getting profitable rates on the freight as to carry it for little or nothing. The Humboldt company is said to be taking full loads but would probably welcome a settlement, owing to the inconveniences attending its through business, and the desirability of having through bills of lading and other accommodations from the White Pass & Yukon Railroad."

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